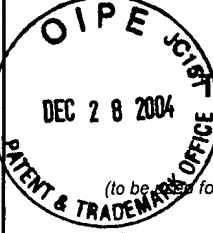


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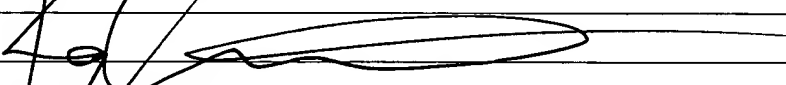
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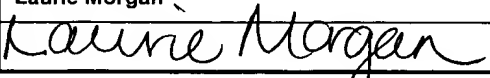
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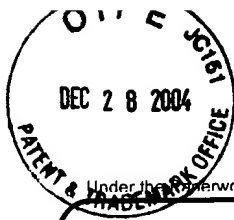
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21 February 9, 2004, for the above-identified application. The applicant hereby
22 requests the Office to enter the following amendments and reconsider the present
23 application in light of the following remarks.
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